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NOTICE TO CORRESPONDENTS

All our correspondents are urgently requested to write their news and mail it so it will reach the office not later than Tuesday morning. No news will be printed that reaches the office later than the above stated time.

Some of our correspondents are not sending in their news as regularly as they should. The contract between The Citizen and its correspondents states that the correspondent is to send in news every other week. If you will send in news twice each month so it will reach us by Tuesday morning, you will always see it appear in the paper, otherwise it may reach the waste basket.

JACKSON COUNTY

Maulden

Maulden, July 4.—Messrs. Hampton and Clay Wolfe and Hamme Farmer left for Cincinnati, July 3rd.—Mr. S. H. Farmer, left for Lexington, June 30th. Hazel, the little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. I. S. McGregory is sick this week.—The Misses Lucy and Emily Bowles of Tyner spent Saturday night of last week with Lucy Moore of this place and attended church at Mt. Gilead Sunday.—The Misses Mae and Rhodia Madden of Tyner and Mary Turner of Gray Hawk spent Saturday night of last week with the Misses Nellie and Cora Montgomery and attended church at Mt. Gilead Sunday.—School at Fall Rock will begin Monday, July 6th, with Robert H. Farmer as teacher.—The ball game played between Welchburg and Maulden Saturday evening was won by Maulden by 28 to 2 and the ball game played between Burning Springs and Maulden Sunday evening was won by Burning Springs by a score of 30 to 8.—Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Hignite and Herbert Holcomb of McKee visited at E. B. Flanery's the past Saturday night and Sunday.—Mr. S. A. Farmer who has employment at McKee visited home folks from Saturday until Monday.

Sand Gap

Sand Gap, July 3rd.—Mr. and Mrs. Dr. Settle are visiting their relatives at Hugh and Big Hill.—Rev. Jesse Durham filled his regular appointment at Goodland last Sunday.—Ned Marcum is selling goods at the Gabbard old stand, as it is called, where Mr. Cook recently sold.—Dave Durham and Dr. Settle are our new grocers. We now have six stores.—Samuel Seiburn and Miss Sallie Carpenter were married in McKee, a few days ago. Their many friends wish them a prosperous and happy life.—Mr. Montgomery of Berea, specialist in agriculture, was recently in this vicinity on his annual investigation trip.—Farmers of this vicinity are becoming discouraged as the drouth continues, and crops of all kinds are being greatly damaged.—Mr. and Mrs. Doc Lunsford of Berea are visiting relatives here. They drove up this morning in time to hear the church bell ring, at this place.—Revs. Jas. Lunsford and Able Gabbard closed a very successful revival today at this place, with seven additions to the church.—Rev. Lunsford, who has been pastor of the Christian Church here ever since it was established has resigned his pastorate, for which we are very sorry. The church feels that in his resignation it has lost an excellent upright, and sincere religious worker and speaker whose place can not be easily filled.

Tyner

Tyner, July 4.—Farmers are about through with their plowing.—C. P. Moore of McKee has been here at his old home making hay this week.—Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Moore have returned home.—Mrs. Lottie Moore and family of Louisville are visiting in this vicinity.—Mr. Wesley Davis of Moores Creek was in this vicinity last week collecting wool for the Riverside Woolen Mills.—Sunday was the last day of our singing. There was quite a crowd of visitors.

All seemed to enjoy the singing especially the quartets and solos.—The continued drouth is yet unbroken and crops are suffering badly.—Give us another story as good as The Maid of the Forest, please Mr. Editor.

Clover Bottom

Clover Bottom, July 7.—Death visited the home of Mr. and Mrs. Mallon Baker the 4th inst. and took from them their little child. It was buried Sunday in the Baker grave yard. The bereaved ones have our deepest sympathy.—Dr. Settles was called yesterday to see a little child of H. N. Dean's who is very sick at this writing.—Miss Stella Sparks was unable to begin her school on Clover Bottom Monday on account of sickness.—Miss Minta Cunnagin began her school at Cave Springs yesterday with a good attendance.—Grover and Almer Hunter of Shirley visited Lucy Dean Saturday and Sunday.—C. M. Van Winkle and wife visited C. E. Van Winkle Sunday.—H. N. Dean attended court at McKee the 6th inst.—C. M. Azbill is planning to move to Bear Wallow this fall.—J. S. Van Winkle is putting up a new store at Cave Springs.—A. C. Bicknell is going to Drip Rock to work in a few days.—Thomas Baker's baby who has had malarial fever for some time is better.—Oats are a failure in this county but corn is still looking well.—H. N. Dean is planning to attend court at McKee the 11th and then at Squire Baker's court the 13th.

OWSLEY COUNTY

Sulphur Springs

Sulphur Springs, July 3.—We have been having extremely dry weather for some time. Crops are looking only fairly well.—The Misses Belle and Mary Eversole of Cow Creek visited Mrs. Ida Brandenburg Saturday and Sunday.—J. C. Brandenburg purchased a fine organ recently.—Quite a large crowd attended church at Lerose, Sunday.—The Rev. Willis, preached at Lower Buffalo Sunday. Several from here attended.—Circuit Court is in session at Booneville at present.—Grate Kincaid has finished his job of sawing for Alford Cooper.—Mrs. Sherman Cooper and Miss Rebecca Herd visited their sister, Mrs. Arch Crawford of Breathitt County, Saturday and Sunday.—Rev. Harve Johnson is expected to preach at the M. E. Church Sunday.

Cow Creek

Cow Creek, July 3.—Circuit Court is in session at Booneville this week.—The farmers have been harvesting the wheat crop and say it is the best for many years.—Corn crops are looking fine, but are small for this time of the year.—John Frost, Jr., of Buckhorn is visiting his many friends and relatives at this place.—Miss Flossie Moore and brother Arley of Sulphur Springs spent last Saturday and Sunday with relatives at this place.—Neil Wilder, our Rietown merchant was at Ida May last week after goods.—Jas. R. Gabbard was at Buckhorn recently visiting friends and acquaintances.—Seabear Eversole and Miss Nettie Callahan were married last week. May peace and happiness be theirs.—Steve Gabbard is improving slowly from an attack of typhoid. Allen D. Moore is also sick with the same disease.—John E. and William Reynolds are selling out and will soon go to Montana to make their home.—Henry Gabbard had a corn hoeing Saturday and gave the young folks a party Saturday night.—Miss Mollie E. Wilson will teach the school at Esaw this fall.—Tilman Green and Chester Baker will teach at Grassy Branch.—Mrs. Steve Gabbard is reported to have typhoid fever.—Samuel Hicks spent Saturday and Sunday at Bowman Branch with relatives.—We all enjoy reading The Citizen every week.

Conkling

Conkling, July 3.—Born to Mr. and Mrs. David Deaton a girl, her name is Jessie.—Several of the young folks went on the excursion to Cincinnati, July 4.—Dr. J. G. Bowles of Tyner in this county and we trust a railroad will help us get it out to market.—Aunt Sarah Botner has just returned from Dayton, O., where she has been for several months with her son.—Mr. Abel Gabbard of Berea, a traveling salesman, stopped over Saturday night and Sunday with S. A. Caudill. He is on his way toward his home. He expects to get home by the last of the week.—S. A. Caudill has an attack of rheumatism which confines him to his bed part of the time. It is hoped that he will be up in a few days.—Jas. McQueen and Wm. Gabbard, the jolly peddlers are still furnishing the Turkey Foot people with plenty of good catables.

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LAUREL COUNTY

Pittsburg

Pittsburg, July 4.—The Jr. O. U. A. M. are having a grand picnic at the fair grounds today.—John Clarke, colored, died suddenly on the morning of the fourth.—Corn looks well but gardens are almost a failure.—Miss Charlotte Cole has returned home from Richmond, where she has been attending E. K. S. N.—The county superintendent is holding teachers' meetings throughout the county in each division. The purpose of these meetings is to discuss some of the vital school questions thus allowing time for other things in the institute which will be conducted by T. J. Coates.—Mr. and Mrs. Will Adams of Harlan and Mr. Charley Spurlock of Arjay are visiting relatives here.—Chris Higgins is at home again.

East Bernstadt

East Bernstadt, July 6.—On the 29th there was a party at the home of Mr. Charlie Evans. This party

Jesus, My Guide

Jesus, Saviour, be my guide
While I on this earth abide;
Then shall I no danger fear,
When I know that Thou art near.
Let me know Thy loving hand
Leads me to my journey's end.

Then my sorrows all are o'er,
Then the pain shall be no more,
Weeping then has passed away,
Sorrow finds no place to stay.
Come, my Lord, make no delay;
Hasten now that glorious day.

Then my loved ones I shall meet
And we'll bow at Jesus' feet,
Praise Him for His wondrous love
Which He has on us bestowed;
What a glorious time 'twill be
When His loved ones shall be free!

Oh, how sweet my rest will be
When my Saviour I shall see!
Free from every tempting snare,
I shall with the faithful share
In the mansions of the blessed;
I shall then forever rest.

counties in which three stills were captured. There were three hundred gallons of liquor found at one still on Wild Dog. No shiners were caught. Collectors Richardson and Marshall Ford in company with E. B. Flanery, Wm. Mayo and G. J. Gentry effected the raid.—Married, July 4th at the bride's home in Breathitt county, Miss Nannie Deaton to Mr. E. Neely of Blake, Owsley county. A nice dinner was given at Mr. Neely's home. A large crowd was present to welcome the newly married couple.

Earnestville

Earnestville, July 6.—The writer will let you know that we are not dead at this place, although we have not let the people hear from us for some time.—The dry spell has cut oats and Irish potatoes very short, but corn crops are looking fine.—Everybody is just about thru with their corn and many are busy harvesting their oats.—Sabbath school in Travelers' Rest is doing a fine work. It is among the banner schools of the county. There were 140 pupils enrolled in the classes on one Sabbath last month.—The steel has been laid on the new railroad up to this place and about one mile beyond up Avill Dog Creek.—There is still a good prospect for another railroad up Little Sturgeon from Earnestville by Travelers' Rest and on to Upper Buffalo Creek in the eastern section of this county. The people on Little Sturgeon are very anxious to get a road and will be reasonable about a right of way. We

was composed of a good number of boys and girls among whom were Miss Birdie Price of Cross Roads, Miss Martha Hughes, Allie Cornett, Ray Isaacs, Lillie Ewins, Birdie Burns and several others. The boys present were Bill Ross, Claud Isaacs, the new barber, Leonard Cornett, Charlie Newman and Dexter Isaacs. Most all the boys who did not go to Lexington for the 4th spent the day at Heidelberg. Everybody seemed to be enjoying themselves. Mr. M. V. Abson, the new merchant near this place, says business is rushing and his trade is good on peanuts and candy.—Mr. J. I. Hughes made a trip to cross roads on business yesterday.—Mr. Millard Jones visited his sick brother yesterday.

ROCKCASTLE COUNTY

Gauley

Gauley, July 3.—A girl baby was born to the Rev. and Mrs. Ponder, June 25th.—The little son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Shepard was laid to rest in the Union Cemetery the 24th.—In spite of the drouth the crops look well; but the gardens are suffering.—Theo. Parker has gone to Oklahoma to visit his uncle Theo. Parker.—Mrs. F. M. Ponder and Mrs. Dillard Parker are on the sick list.—There was a picnic at the cave on Crooked Creek the 4th.—Mr. J. C. Bullock has been very sick but is better now.—Mr. George Robertson remains quite poorly.—The little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Morris died on the 1st and was buried of Mr. Charlie Evans. This party

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the same day in Red Hill cemetery.—Messrs. W. E. and Bob Bullock are with home folks this week.

Rockford

Rockford, July 5.—We are having very dry hot weather here at this time but we still hope to have rain soon.—Potato crops are almost a failure; gardens in general are drying up and not much good.—Corn crops are needing rain badly here. Millet crops and cane are looking well.—Born to the wife of W. H. Stephens on June 30, a fine boy. He is named Hubert Miller.—Aunt Susan Ogg of Clear Creek, who has been sick so long is suffering very much.—J. M. Bullen had his wheat threshed Saturday. It fell short of the expectation of many. 23 bushels for fifteen acres.—The Sunday school picnic at Scaffold Cane today went off nicely with some good speaking by two young men from Berea and also an interesting sermon by Rev. J. W. Lambert of near Berea. All seemed to enjoy a good time with plenty to eat.—Bro. L. F. Guinn of Berea accompanied the two young men who visited Scaffold Cane today.—Next Saturday and Sunday are the regular meeting days at Scaffold Cane by Rev. A. J. Pike. Remember the subject for Sunday, "The Destiny of the Dead." Everybody come. Bro. Pike is an able man and proposes to make this clear.—Blackberry picking will be all the go for the next few days and the crop is good.—Mr. J. H. Lambert, wife and little girl of Boone, Ky., were at Scaffold Cane today.—School will begin at Walnut Grove, July 13 with Miss Elda Lake as teacher.—Henry Bowman and wife who have lately returned from Richmond, Ind., were in Rockford today.

ESTILL COUNTY

Locust Branch

Locust Branch, July 3.—We are having some very dry weather at present.—The farmers are laying by their corn crops in this neighborhood.—Miss Mae Williams of Dreyfus is visiting her sister, Mrs. Nannie Hymer, this week.—Mr. Claud Olliner and family visited Wick Harris of Ford from Saturday until Monday.—The water in this vicinity is running very low.—Miss Mayme Gentry visited relatives of Irvine last week.

MADISON COUNTY

Wallaceton

Wallaceton, July 5.—Mrs. Jane Renge of Alcorn came last Friday for a visit with her daughter, Mrs. J. E. Parsons.—Mrs. Mary Guynn and children of Bourbon Co. are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dan Botkins this week.—Quite a number of people went from this neighborhood to Slate Lick the 4th.—Mr. Granville Nunn who has been very sick was moved to Richmond last week to his sister's home.—Mr. Ollie Bowen went to visit his daughter, Mrs. Fannie Knave at Shelby City last Saturday.—Our school begins Monday, July 6th, with Miss Mary Bowen as teacher.—We are needing rain in this community.

Dreyfus

Dreyfus, July 6.—We are having some very hot weather at this time. Mrs. Bert Lunsford of Illinois is visiting her father, R. F. Jones for a few weeks.—Fred Jones and Leonard Sparks left Saturday night for Illinois where they will work a few months.—Mr. and Mrs. Albert Rose are rejoicing over the arrival of a new boy. His name is Woodrow.—The Sunday school at Dreyfus is progressing nicely. The Dreyfus free school will begin next Monday, with Miss Pattie Moyers as teacher.—Miss Maude Coyle of Cincinnati, O., returned home Sunday where she will spend the summer.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Hurley are visiting their son this week.

Harts

Harts, July 5.—Dry weather is all the talk. People are getting disheartened about no rain, but we must not get discouraged. God has promised He would send rain on the east and the west. Let us pray and sing and a little talk with Jesus makes it right.

Misses Ella and Dinkie Lake will begin their school Monday, July 13, also Mrs. Whyland.

Mrs. Critt Robinson's family is visiting Tom Coyle of Harts.

Mrs. James Leonard Jones went to the ball game in Berea Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Herndon visited our Sunday school at this place.

O. M. Payne went to Berea Saturday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Hammond of Disputanta visited the latter's parents Saturday and Sunday.

Brother Childress filled his regular appointment at Silver Creek Saturday and Sunday.

Bradley Lake attended church at Wildie Sunday.

Mr. Julian Coyle went to Berea to visit Mr. Robinson's family the first of the week.

Big Hill

Big Hill, July 6.—Rev. Harden preached at Pilot School House last Saturday night and Sunday at 11 o'clock a. m.

Crops are needing rain in this vicinity.

Mr. and Mrs. John W. Johnson spent Sunday at Mr. and Mrs. Philip Hayes.

School began here July 6th with Miss Lucy Hayes, teacher. Miss Hayes taught here several years and was offered a better position, but on account of the feebleness of her father and mother, thought it best to accept at home.

SHELLS FROM GUNBOAT

Stop Borda's Bombardment of Puerto Plata in Hurry.

Washington.—The bombardment of the rebel city, Puerto Plata, by President Borda's, of Santa Domingo, was attended by fire from the main battery of the American gunboat Machias. Only a few shots were fired. The Machias, which carries eight four-inch guns, was sent into the inner harbor at Puerto Plata prepared for battle after the Dominican forces had time and again violated an agreement not to use artillery in attacking the rebel forces holding the port. Captain Russell was sent to Dominican waters with general instructions to protect American and other foreign lives and property. During the weeks he has been in Dominican waters, Captain Russell has made numerous ineffectual attempts to bring the leaders of the opposing armies to a peaceful agreement. Several futile conferences were held on board the American battleship between representatives of the Federals under President Borda and the Revolutionists.

LINER ASHORE ON ROCKS

Ashore on Rocks Off Tory Island on Irish Coast—Gunboats Stand By To Give Aid, if Necessary.

Londonderry, Ireland.—In a thick fog and rain which rendered Tory Island invisible from the mainland, the Anchor line steamer California, bound from New York for Glasgow, went ashore on the rocks of that island. Wireless calls for help brought speedy assistance from several small gunboats and torpedo boats which were patrolling the northwest Irish coast for gun runners in connection with the Ulster movement. The steamer, which has on board 121 saloon and over 300 second cabin passengers, lies in five fathoms of water forward and seven fathoms aft. There was no panic when she struck.

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